

8. (Amended) Clothing according to Claim ~~7~~ 6 comprising boxer shorts.

9. (Amended) Clothing according to Claim ~~7~~ 6 comprising long pants.

Amendments to the abstract:

Abstract

A composite textile fabric includes a composite layer ~~10 formed of a~~ hydrophobic ~~10A~~ material and a layer of a hydrophilic material ~~10B~~ knitted or otherwise formed together. The composite layer ~~10~~ is formed such that ~~has~~ an upper surface ~~consists of a~~ plurality of small exposed areas of the hydrophilic material ~~making up in~~ covering a total area about 25% of the overall area of the upper surface. The composite layer ~~10~~ acts as a ~~provides~~ one way liquid transport for moisture, extending ~~away~~ from the upper surface towards a lower surface of the composite layer ~~10~~.